

Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/630759 First Named Applicant: Richard G. Hvatt Jr.
Examiner: Suzanne Lale Dino Barrett Art Unit: 3673 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:

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Proposed Date of Interview: 28 October 2009 Proposed Time: 1:00 PM AM/PM

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Ref., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>35 U.S.C. §101</u>	<u>9, 10</u>	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>35 U.S.C. §112</u>	<u>9, 10</u>	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) <u>35 U.S.C. §103</u>	<u>9, 10</u>	<u>Gokcebay, Thordmark</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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☒ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Argument to be Presented:

(See the attached Continuation Sheet).

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

/Robert E Bushnell/

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Robert E. Bushnell

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

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Issues to be discussed:

1. Identification in the art applied by the Examiner to support the rejection of independent claim 10, showing any concept of “said barrel member being configured to receive at least a portion of a movable side bar of a lock cylinder to permit the side bar to move into and out of engagement with the grooves of the locking members for selectively permitting and blocking rotation of the barrel member with respect to a lock cylinder when positioned therein”, as was defined by lines 11-15 of claim 10, as rejected.
2. Double Patenting rejection of claims 9 and 10 under 35 U.S.C. §101 as claiming the same invention as that of claims 90 and 120 of co-pending Serial No. 08/720,070.
3. 35 U.S.C. § 112 (first paragraph) rejection of claims 9 and 10 for lack of enablement.
4. Unpatentability rejection of claims 9 and 10 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Gokcebay, U.S. Patent No. 5,552,777 in view of Thordmark *et al.*, U.S. Patent No. 5,542,274 and Naveda, U.S. Patent No. 4,416,127 as explained in Applicant’s Substitute Amendment filed simultaneously with this Request.